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The present CIP application is entitled FIBER-COVERED DENTAL DELIVERY INSTRUMENTS and is filed in the name of Dan E. Fischer, D.D.S.

Enclosed are the following:

- ☒ A specification, claims, abstract, and cover page in total comprising 58 pages.
- ☒ A set of 20 sheets of drawings.
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